# **ON MEXICAN BORDER**

Army Officers Fear Uprising Against Americans By Carranzista Soldiers.

BAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 23.-Be lleving northern Mexico a powder mag asine with fire burning on all sides, army officers at Fort Sam Houston toordered additional troops sent to the border points where the danger is

most evident. From Brownsville to the California line, fear of uprisings by the Carranzista troops against American borde towns has been suddenly revived. Reports of the revolt of Gen. Luis

Herrera, former Carranza commander who is said to have thrown his lot with Villa and declared war against the United States, reached Major General Funston via El Paso.
While no official confirmation has been received, the situation is being frankly faced and the army is taking no chances.

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The Twenty-fourth Infantry is expected to reach Columbus late today.

One of the most significant changes in disposition of troops, confirmed today, was the sending of the Fourth Artillery from Mercedes to Brownsville, where it will be better off."

There are already more than 5,000 United States soldiers in the Brownsville district, but Matamoras, a Mexican city across the river, is a hotbed of can city across the river, is a hotbed of Villista sentiment.

Now Speeding South. The Third Battalion of the Fifth Cav alry, now speeding to Columbus, wil distributed immediately along the order, and a portion of the Twentyfourth Infantry not required for protect tion of General Pershing's line of communication will be utilized for addition

al border patrol.

Denials from Carranza officials of the alarming rumors that Carranzistas are flocking to Villa's standard are accepted in army circles with the same reservations that the reports get.

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not officially confirmed, persisted.

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Villa's escape and suggests collusion.

Unless the American forces returned to their base at Casas Grendes when they heard of Villa's growing numbers, General Pershing's cavalry squadrons are believed to be hot on Villa's trail. They were within a day's march of Namiquipa on Monday.

Besides 2,000 well-armed and mounted Carranzistas under General Louis Herrera reported marching from Chihushua City to join Villa, and Cano's runored revolt, the Carranza garrisons at Torrera and Cabullons are said to have

were mustered out of the bandit's ser-

For the first time sines the Villa man hunt was ordered, the Government is seriously considering possible necessity of using the State militia on the Mexican border.

Every available man of the regular army may be needed by Major General Funston to cope with the Villistas, resenforced by deserting Carranzistas. If the entire regular army now in the United Stateh is thrown into Mexico, it is believed the President will have to call for the national guard or for volunteers.

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When the national guard, army officials say, it would be used merely for service on this side of the border, with the regular dispatched into Mexico. Under the law the President would have to call for volunteers and the militia respond before it could be used on the regular dispatched into Mexico. Under the law the President would have to call for volunteers and the militia respond before it could be used on the militia spector of the mobile army in the United States is already in or near Mexico. In addition, the Government have of the mobile army in the United States is already in or near Mexico. In addition, the Government have of the mobile army in the United States is already in or near Mexico. In addition, the Government have of the mobile army in the United Sta Secretary of War Baker had "not a syllable" to say about the militia stiostion today, but he did not deny that he is considering a call to the State troops. Reports from General Funston, not entirely authenticated, that Gen. Lais Herrera, Carranza military governor of Chihuahua, had deserted to Villa with 2,000 men, present grave possibilities, officials admit. Augmenting official concern is another report that Colonel Cano, of the Carranzistas, supposed to be fighting Villa forces near Namiquipa, was actually parieying with Villa with a view to deserting Carranza. Still another unpleasant rumor is that General Cavira and his command at Juares, opposite El Paso, are in a rebellious mood, communication over the international bridge being cut off. Yaqui Indians on the west coast and Villastas near Tampico are reported active. Every effort is being made by officials to secure further details and confirmation of the various revolts reported brewing. Denials of Carranzista officials of defections have brought little comfort. With practically all communication with interior Mexico cut off, except the meager wireless between Pershing's command and Columbus, it is admitted that officials have little word of real developments behind the border. General Cavira and his command at Juares, opposite El Paso, are in a rebellicus mood, communication over the international bridge being cut off. Yaqui Indians on the west coast and Villistas near Tampico are reported active.

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The Government, under the dreumstances, is preparing for the most extreme eventualities.

If it becomes necessary to call out

# MORE TROOPS RUSH Call for State Militia AVIATOR GORRELL TO DANGER POINTS Is Under Consideration IS STILL MISSING

Three Other Machines in Aero Squadron Disabled Mexican Expedition.

SAN ANTONIO, March 23.—"Army aero squadron 50 per cent disabled in three days," tells the story of the first test under conditions of actual warfare of the United States Army's Flying

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From Match 19, when the squadron of eight left Columbus, until the last report received by Major General Funstion was given out, three machines have been disabled and one is missing.

Lieutenant Gorrell, piloting Machine No. 52, last seen over Colonia Juarez, south of Casas Grandes, is still missing and grave fears are felt for his safety.

Machine No. 43, operated by Lieutenant Willis, was disabled at Pearson, some fifty miles south of Casas Grandes, siving rise to the report that he was missing. Major Hamples at Columbus received a report that he was safe.

Machine No. 48 was disabled when it fell with Lieutenant Bowen at Casas Grandes.

No. 42, operator not named is laid up at Casas Grandes with a broken axle. Army officers at headquarters are not backward in declaring the aviation campaign to date "dangerously near a flasco."

A wireless dispatch to Brigadier General Pershing, urging him to send an immediate report on Lieutenant Gorrell, was filed at Fort. Sam Houston early today. Whether the missing aviator is the first of the American aero squad to fall a victim to Villista bullets, or

Is still alive, perhaps lying injured with a disabled machine somewhere in the desert country. Is causing officers sreat uneasiness.

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General Funston today referred to the work of the machines comprising the First Aero Squadron as "very poor." The altitude of the Casas Grandes re-gion, 5,000 feet, is not considered suffi-cient to explain the poor showing. Army officers, point out that Italian and Austrian aviators are operating at much greater altitudes along the Italian front

Uneasiness in Congress Reports that 2,000 Mexican troops under General Herrera have revolted from the Carransa cause and joined Villa, caused anxiety today in Senate and

It is realized that if it should prove true that there has been such a revolt and fighting should occur in which one or more American detachments should suffer, the difficulties of the Mexican complications would be much accentuated.

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Among members of Congress there is a noticeable feeling that the Mexican entanglement is getting worse, and that it is impossible to foresee the ramifications of it or the results of it.

Benator Sherman of Illinois, who yesterday presented a resolution authorising and directing the President to call for 50,000 volunteers for Mexican service, was more than ever convinced today that some of the American forces are in jeopardy.

"I intend to fight for the resolution," said Senator Sherman. "I am familiar with the country in which the American troops are, and I know its difficulties." While there is no reason to believe the Democratic leaders in the Senate will permit the Sherman resolution to be adopted, there was a renewed current of taik to the effect, that with the country almost stripped of regular troops, apart from those either in Mexico or on the border, the national guard would probably be called on for organizations to do border patrol duty.

National guard officers who are here looking after legislation for the militia made it plain they would not be surprised if services of some of the best of the guard organizations were required.

With Scarlet Fever

PHILADELPHIA, March 33.-Stricken with scarlet fever, John Bacon, a Unilived in the dormitories, fied from this city instead of submitting to quarantine, and was on his way to his home, at 142 East Market street, York, when intercepted at Lancaster by railroad physicals.

cians.

The train got away before the medical men could stop it, but the Pullman in which Bacon had ridden was cut out and disinfected at Harrisburg. Bacon was taken to his home from Lancaster in an automobile.

He is seventeen years old, and the homing instinct was too strong for him when he found he was dangerously ill, By the time the health authorities reached his room he had gone.

#### Simple Way To End Dandruff

falled to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy four ounces of plain, common liquid ar-von from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when re-tiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger

dandruff will be gone and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely Centroy every single sign and trace of ft, no matter how

much dandroff you may have.
You will find all itching and digging of, the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel bundred times better.-Advt.

The Distinguishing Sign. Becond Lady—How do you know?
First Lady—Why can't you see the
kangaroo feathers in his hat?—Punch.

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Because the sale is so unusual and the values so remarkable hundreds of buyers who believe in saving on good clothes are crowding the store and the suits are rapidly being sold out. It is the thoughtful buyer who comes early and makes his selection before the big choica is sone. choice is gone.

And keep this in mind—high grade suits at \$10 and \$15 at Friedlander Bros.,

# Clamor tor Detense Follows Raid by Villa

When the Villa outlaws dashed by night through Columbus, N. M., burning and killing, they did more than any other force to date to stiffen the country's determination for stronger than before.

At the time of the Molecular and the necessary appropriation bills. Should a contreversy arise with a European power again. Congress would be behind the President much more enthusiastically than before.

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Carransa Consul Garcia in El Paso today issued a formal denial of the Herrera revolt. He said Herrera and Villa
were deadly enemies.
Garcia threw further doubt on the alleged clash between Cano's men and
Villa by stating he had no advices from
"the reported battle" of Namiquipa.
At General Funston's headquarters,
it was stated that proper precautions
are being taken to guard Pershing's
line of communication between Columbus and Casas Grandes from possible attack by revolting Carranzistas.
Funston declined either to confirm
or deny a reported engagement between a detachment of the Seventh
Cavalry and a Villista force said to
have occurred eighty miles southeast
of Casas Grandes. Ascording to the
report emanating from El Paso, the
casualties were two Americans and
eighty-two Mexicans.
"So far." said Funston, "I have recelved no word from General Pershing
of an engagement. You must remember, however, that our wireless is
working very uncertainly and it is
very possible for news of such a
skirmlsh to get back to the border
over Mexican telegraph wires long
before the news reaches me.

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El Paso. Staff officers admitted, however, that such a step would not be
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have renounced Carranza and are on their way to join the outlaw in southern Chihunhua. With these seasoned fight-ers Villa was expected to make a stand

against the American forces pursuing him. During his retreat southward he informed Mexicans he was saving his bullets for the "gringoes."

EL PASO, Tex., March 23.-General Luis Herrera, who is reported to have gone over to Villa with 2,000 soldiers,

frequently flopped from one side to an-

Herrera's home is in Parral, Chihua-

At the time of the MoLemore and Gore resolutions, half a dozen members of both houses, led by Senator Jones of Washington, sent out a query to their constituents:

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"Do you believe \$100,000,000 will do
more good spent on good roads than on
instruments to kill human beings?"
At the time of the two resolutions, the At the time of the two resolutions, the majority of answers were against preparedness, and against too unyielding an attitude as to American's "technical" right to travel.

In the past few days, the answers have indicated a "preparedness first" attitude.

Woman Who Pieced 2,500 Quilts For Friends Dies

WABHINGTON, Ind., March 23. Mrs. Alice Balley, who had pieced 2,500 quilts in the last fitty years, is dead here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Schofield. The quilts were distributed among friends in all parts of the United States.

#### Uprising Against U.S. ORDER AND STOP Started, El Paso Fears GAS INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" regulates on Mexican soil is under way, it was A combined attack on El Paso from feared here today. Reports of Carran- the Juarez garrison and by the large disordered stomachs in five minutes.

with no word of Villa's whereabouts since Monday, he is believed to have escaped.

The 900 troops under Colonel Cano, who were supposed to have defeated the bandit near Namiquipa, are reported to have gone over to him. This would explain the silence of Juarez officials regarding the outcome of the reported battle.

Juarez Commandant Gavira said Cano withdrew after his victory, an unusual proceeding, which practically confirms Villa's escape and suggests collusion.

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Eat what your stomach craves without the slightest fear of indigestion or that you will be bothered with acidity or sour risings, belching, gas or stomach, heartburn, headaches from stomach, nausea, bad broath, water brash or a feeling like you had swallowed a lump of lead, or other disagreeable miseries. Should you be suffering now from any stomach disorder you can get relief within five minutes.

If you will get from your pharmacist a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin you could always go to the table with a hearty appetite, and your meals would taste good, because you would know there would be no indigestion or sleepless nights or headache or atomach misery all the next day; and, besides, you would not need laxatives or liver pills to keep your stomach and bowels clean and fresh.

were mustered out of the bandit's service when their generals surrendered in Juarez and received amnesty last fall, were recruited into the de facto government's army. These are among the Carranza forces reliably reported to have gone back to their old leader. El Paso's fears of a local uprising were increased when Melchor Herrera, was arrested in this city and charged with recruiting Mexicans here for the purpose of sattacking El Paso.

Reports that the Juarez garrison was on the verge of revolt resulted in a strong guard being thrown along the border. Mayor Preto of Juarez and Commandant Gavira were understood to have severed relations, following a worth of foreign mining properties. pills to keep your stomach and bowels clean and fresh.

Pape's Diapepsin can be obtained from your druggist, and contains more than sufficient to thoroughly evercome the worst case of indigestion or dyspepsia. There is nothing better for gas on the stomach or sour odors from the stomach or to cure a stomach head-ache.

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